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## MAILE ILIMAS CAPTURE FIRST SENIOR CONTETS

### Green and Gold Vanquishes the Tenth Infantry Footballers By 18 Points.

The 10th Infantry played a surprisingly good game and held down the Maile Ilimas in the first half.

Schoeffel at right half and Garrett at left half did herculean work for their side and played the game to dropping point.

Foster, the Infantry's center, played a consistently hard game in the first half and although worn out in the second period, stuck by his guns until the call of time.

Plunkett's brilliant work at right half counted heavily for the Maile Ilimas in the second period of the game. The way he escaped from his tacklers, even after hands had been laid upon him, was phenomenal.

Rose played an impressive game at left end, putting in some beautiful tackles.

Sumner and Akina at right end were there with the speed, aggressiveness and alertness that wins games.

The Maile Ilimas demonstrated fine kicking ability, the three touchdowns being converted by as many different men.

The crowd was a very satisfactory one and the arrangements all that could be desired. The same remarks apply to the officials who had charge of the game.

Bets of 3 to 1, that the Maile Ilimas would win, were freely offered.

The teams were in good condition although the soldiers suffered from a paucity of reserves. No player suffered anything more serious than a wrenched knee.

The game was commendably clean. There was no slugging—no unpleasantness.

In a clean, sportsmanlike game of football, the Maile Ilima football team vanquished the 10th Infantry eleven at the baseball grounds yesterday afternoon, by the score of 18 to 0.

Eleven hundred enthusiastic partisans witnessed the contest and it is safe to say thoroughly enjoyed it.

The game was spectacular and very fairly fast and was totally lacking in that brutality which has thrown football into such disrepute elsewhere.

The best team and at that the favorite team won, but the losers put up a surprisingly good game throughout, and not until the second half was a point scored against them. Then the better condition of the Maile Ilimas and their wealth of reserves told the tale and no less than 18 points were notched in their favor before the termination of the game.

It is no disparagement to the Infantry team to say that not a great deal was expected of them on account of the newness of a number of the soldier players to the game. The Maile Ilimas, on the other hand, took the field in absolute confidence of winning, and that by a handsome majority. They were in a fine condition physically and bore the visible tokens of much strenuous and comprehensive training.

The crowd who went out to see somebody win was the same old buoyant, goodtempered, gayly bedight, clamorous, wildly enthusiastic crowd that is always in evidence at a Thanksgiving Day game. They yelled and cheered and shrieked and blew horns until it seemed as if all the world was mad with the joy of living and being young.

Throughout the first half of the contest the spectators were kept in a state of expectancy, for the ball was constantly changing hands and the game was one minute raging in the Maile territory and in the next the soldiers were defending their goal line, cheered on by the encouraging shouts of a large delegation from Camp McKinley.

When one looks back over the field of the game he is at a loss whom to single out for special praise, as each and every man that played on the field gave all that was in him for the side he represented.

The spirit of fair play was the pleasantest feature of the game and the men never seemed to forget it even in the fiercest parts of the game.

Captain Schoeffel's game at right half for the Infantry was the brilliant feature of the game, as time and again he could be noticed breaking through the Maile line and piling up the plays that were sent in his direction. Garrett also played a sterling game at the other half. Right well did he deserve the cheers that were given him as he left the field near the end of the second half.

And so the first big game of the season has been won and lost and already

people are speculating as to what will happen when the Maile Ilimas meet the Punahele Athletic Club eleven a week from tomorrow. That game looks like being a record-breaker in point of interest and should be as keenly fought as any in the history of local football.

### THE GAME.

#### FIRST HALF.

It was announced that two halves of 25 and 20 minutes each would be played. In a tumult of noise caused by tin horns which almost drowned the signals the Infantry kicked off from the bleachers end of the field.

The ball was taken back to the Maile Ilimas' 45-yard line. It was then lost by a fumble, Kolb falling on it on the Maile Ilimas' 50-yard line.

The soldiers kicked again and the leather was downed on the Maile Ilimas' 35-yard line. Then Sumner booted the ball which finally reposed on the soldiers' 45-yard mark.

A light breeze was blowing almost across the field which did not give much advantage to either team. On that account the kicking game was played to its fullest advantage and found much favor with the quarters of the respective elevens.

Schoeffel was sent round the right end for a gain of 15 yards and then Garrett tore through the right of the Maile Ilimas for 15 yards more, Schoeffel duplicating the gain by ripping up the Maile Ilimas' left end, between tackle and guard.

This juncture found the ball on the Maile Ilimas' 25-yard line with the soldiers going strong and making a noise like scoring.

On a fake kick the ball was taken to the Maile Ilimas' 10-yard line, the green and gold contingent shortly afterwards gaining possession on downs, on their own 5-yard line.

The Maile Ilimas kicked and the ball rested on their 55-yard line being fumbled on receipt.

The Infantry lost the ball on a fumble, Allen dropping on it on their 55-yard line.

Two plays saw the Maile Ilimas driven back ten yards, but a stand was then made and the line held well, the Maile Ilimas getting the ball on downs.

James carried the sphere round the right end to the soldiers' 35-yard line and the ball changed hands 5 yards nearer the Infantry's goal.

Freeth kicked and the ball was returned to the soldiers' 40-yard line.

It was the Maile Ilimas' ball and the half back managed to drop it. The fumble was a lucky one, however, for Sumner grabbed the leather and dashed around right end as far as the soldiers' 25-yard line.

The Maile Ilimas were penalized 15 yards for offside play, leaving the ball on the soldiers' 40-yard line.

Harry Clark made a gain over the Maile right wing of 20 yards and a couple of bucks brought a touchdown within easy reach. Another penalty, this time of 5 yards, was given against the Maile Ilimas for offside play.

Freeth tried a drop kick but a splendidly directed shot went a shade low and skimmed just under the cross-bar.

The soldiers took a free kick from their 25-yard line, Freeth bringing the ball back to the soldiers' 50-yard line.

The Maile Ilimas pushed the oval to their opponents' 40 and 30-yard line and then Sumner tried for a placement goal, the ball going a trifle wide of the right-hand goal-post.

The half-time whistle sounded almost immediately with the score.

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## SERVICES YESTERDAY

### Union Meeting and a Cathedral Sermon.

The Thanksgiving Day services were well attended. The day was bright and large numbers turned out. The usual union services at Central Union were particularly well attended. The Christian, Methodist and Central Union pastors and assistants, and the chaplain of Kamehameha schools occupied the rostrum.

The following was the printed order of services:

#### ORDER OF SERVICE.

Organ Prelude.  
Harvest Anthem—"Rejoice in the Lord."  
Choir.

Reading of the President's Proclamation—Governor Carter.

Doxology—  
By Choir and Congregation.  
Responsive Reading—Psalm 150.  
Rev. J. W. Wadman.

Prayer—  
Rev. Wm. M. Kincaid, D.D.  
Offertory—"The Lord Hath Done Great Things."  
F. Stevens.  
Quartet—Mrs. Otis, Miss Hall, Mr. Wichman, Mr. Herzer.

Hymn—187.  
By Choir and Congregation.  
Sermon—"Counting Your Blessings."  
Rev. G. D. Edwards.

Hymn—1029—"My Country 'Tis of Thee."  
By Choir and Congregation.  
Benediction.  
Organ Postlude.

Owing to a misunderstanding between Mr. Kincaid and some of his assistants, the invitation to the Governor to be present and read the President's Thanksgiving Day proclamation had been omitted. The Doctor explained to the congregation that last Monday he had inquired whether an invitation had been sent to Governor Carter and he understood his informant to say yes. Now, it appeared, the Governor knew nothing about it. The apparent slight to the Governor had been purely unintentional, the Doctor said, and he regretted the necessity of beginning a Thanksgiving service with an explanation, especially one that would disappoint the congregation.

The choir was well balanced and Mrs. Otis, Miss Hall, Mr. Wichman and Mr. Herzer leading the respective parts, the rendition of the music was excellent. The congregational singing was unusually spirited.

The Christian pastor, Rev. G. D. Edwards, delivered the sermon, taking for his subject, "Counting Your Blessings."

"Did you ever try to count your blessings?" said he. "I have found it impossible to count the many blessings that the Lord has showered upon us, and is continually pouring in abundance upon us. We can only say in the words of the Psalmist, Give thanks unto the Lord for he is good, for his loving kindness endureth forever. If we were to try to enumerate his goodness to us, we would be here all day, but let us try to speak of some things wherein the Lord has been good to us."

"Let us thank him for the Pilgrim fathers and their coming over to the United States and their descendants coming to these bright islands of Hawaii. Let us thank him because the deserts of our country have been made to blossom as the rose. Let us thank him for the public school system, the like of which has never before been known in the history of the world. Let us thank him for the prodigious growth of the United States and of these Islands, too. Can we not see the finger of God in the path of our nation?"

"Now, let us take our lives, our own lives as individuals, and compare them with the lives of individual nations. It may not be that we can take any individual life and trace the goodness of God in every moment and every hour or even every day, but take it from

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## FORECASTS OF CONGRESS

### E. G. Walker's Letter on the Legislative Status.

(Mail Special to the Advertiser.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30.—Little or no legislation can be expected from Congress, soon to assemble, before some time next January, but the city is already filling up with legislators. Nearly a fourth of the ninety Senators are now here and by the end of the coming week a considerable number of members will be on hand. The early arrival of Speaker Cannon, who has just to be re-elected, but who, nevertheless, will consult extensively about committee assignments, is sufficient to hasten the coming of men concerned about receiving good working places under the new organization. As the New England delegations generally remain to pass Thanksgiving under their own roof trees, most of the Senators and members from that section will be late in reaching Washington this year.

There will be a lot of conferring between now and Monday, December 4, the day when the session formally begins. There have already been many conferences at the White House offices, in which the President will get into closer touch with the 236 congressional constituents of the country. There will also be many conferences among the Congressmen themselves, in which they will get into closer touch with each other. The sessions of the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee, next Tuesday, will give a decided impetus to general exchange of views on the railroad rate question, which at present is far and away the dominant question with all the Congressional arrivals.

Senator Elkins, chairman of that committee, just here to reconnoiter, has gone away to West Virginia, where his fight for re-election next year is now in full swing. He will return soon. Since his visit the impression has gained ground in authoritative quarters that the President has the whip hand and will secure some compromise measure from Congress. But that the deliberations of the committee will be prolonged and that there will be much fencing for advantage, before the committee makes up its report, or reports, is regarded as certain. That would not materially delay consideration of the bill in the Senate, as no measure of such an important character can be considered there till after the holidays. What work the Senate does, prior to the New Year, will pertain largely to executive and routine business.

The making up of committees offers some unusual problems in both branches, and the Republican leaders will address themselves to that task very early. Senators, in recent times, have become great hunters for choice assignments. Two years ago Senator Hale, of Maine, was chairman of the Republican committee that arranged those matters for his party at the north end of the Capitol. There is more wire pulling nowadays for one good committee place than there was fifteen years ago for all the committee places in the Senate and the Senator accepting the chairmanship invites upon himself a heap of trouble. The struggle for some other chairman of the Interstate Commerce Committee than Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, now under sentence for land frauds, will be renewed.

It is announced here that Speaker Cannon will try to announce the House Committee by December, whereupon the House could take up an appropriation bill or two and, possibly, an urgent deficiency bill for the Panama canal. The House Republican caucus, for nomination of the Speaker, clerk, sergeant-at-arms, postmaster, etc., will be held Saturday, December 2. It has been urged that he should announce his appropriations committee in advance of the others, so that the Panama appropriations can be immediately considered, with a view to an enactment before the holiday recess, which

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## IMMENSE STRIKE TO TAKE PLACE IN PETERSBURG

### General Postoffice to Be Closed--Mar- tial Law for Poland--Govern- ment in the Dark.

(Associated Press Cablegrams.)

ST. PETERSBURG, December 1.—The Workmen's Council has decreed the closing of the general postoffice. It is estimated that 100,000 workmen will be locked out.

### A PARALYZING STRIKE.

The strike of telegraphers is paralyzing official commercial life.

### THE GOVERNMENT'S IGNORANCE.

The government is ignorant of the situation in the interior.

### MARTIAL LAW FOR POLAND.

The cabinet has decided to declare martial law in Poland.

### THE CRIME OF IMPORTUNITY.

A number of soldiers of the household guards at Tsarskooselo have been arrested for presenting a petition for reforms.

### DE WITTE'S BETTERED POSITION.

The defeat of the mutineers strengthens De Witte's position.

### REBELS BADLY WORSTED.

SEBASTOPOL, December 1.—It is officially stated that one rebel torpedo boat has been sunk and two disabled.

The rebel cruiser Otchakoff is burning.

Lieutenant Schmidt, who was in command of the rebel fleet, was arrested unwounded. The majority of the mutineers are reservists.

### SOME FOOTBALL SURPRISES.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 1.—Pennsylvania defeated Cornell, 6 to 5.

Chicago won from Michigan, 2 to 0.

Indiana went down before Ohio, 11 to 0.

### THE BURDEN OF DISGRACE.

VANCOUVER, Wash., December 1.—Captain Alga Berry, recently dismissed from the U. S. army for improper conduct aboard a steamship, has committed suicide by shooting.

### ENGLAND'S LIVE POLITICS.

LONDON, December 1.—It is understood that Premier Balfour and cabinet have decided to resign and that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, C.G.B., will be premier.

### THE SULTAN'S ENNUI.

CONSTANTINOPLE, December 1.—It is believed that the Sultan will not act until further demonstrations have been made.

### TRIED TO PURCHASE ALAMEDA.

Officials of the San Francisco and Portland Steamship Company, an adjunct of the Pacific Mail Company, were after the steamer Alameda a few days ago, with a view of purchasing the vessel for use on the Portland route, but there will be no change of ownership, for the Alameda is to remain on the Honolulu run. So far as equipment and general requirements go, the Alameda would make an ideal liner on the Portland route, but she draws a little too much water for the Columbia river bar. And her value to the Spreckels company is more than anybody could afford to pay for her. In the market the Alameda might bring \$325,000, but it is doubtful whether she could be purchased from her present owners for less than \$400,000. She has proved her worth on the Honolulu route for the Oceanic Company, and is now better fitted than ever to remain in that service. It is not unlikely that the San Francisco and Portland Steamship Company will build a steamer for the northern route, to take the place of the St. Paul, for which use the Alameda was wanted.—Chronicle.

### PROMINENT RUSSIAN OFFICIALS.



Durnovo, Governor-General of Moscow Dedyulin, Chief of St. Petersburg's Police Golitsin, the Mayor of Moscow.